## STATE OF MINNESOTA BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, GEOSCIENCE AND INTERIOR DESIGN

In the Matter of Stanley J. Ross Architect License Number 24982 Certified Interior Designer Certificate Number C01149 ORDER VACATING SUSPENSION OF LICENSE AND CERTFICATE

**Board File No. 2015-0026** 

- 1. The Minnesota Board of Architecture, Engineering, Land Surveying, Landscape Architecture, Geoscience and Interior Design ("Board") is authorized, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 214.10, and 326.111 (2014), to license, regulate, and take appropriate disciplinary action against applicants, licensees, or certificate holders regulated by Minnesota Statutes section 326.02 326.15 (2014).
- 2. On February 26, 2016, the Board issued a Stipulation and Order, Board File # 2015-0026 ("Stipulation and Order"), suspending Stanley J. Ross ("Respondent")'s Minnesota Architect License and Minnesota Certified Interior Design Certificate.
  - 3. Section 4 of the Stipulation and Order provides:
  - <u>4. Enforcement Action.</u> Respondent and the Committee agree that the Board should issue an Order in accordance with the following terms:
    - a. Reprimand. Respondent is reprimanded for the foregoing conduct.
- b. <u>Suspension of License and Certificate</u>. Respondent's Architect license and Certified Interior Designer certificate shall be suspended from the date of the Board Chair's signature below, until such time as Respondent complies with both of the following conditions:
- (1) Respondent shall submit documentation satisfactory to the Board of having completed a minimum of twenty-four (24) professional development hours for the 2014-2016 renewal for continuing education as required by Minnesota Statutes section 326.107, subdivisions 1 and 7 (2014). To meet the statutory requirement for documentation of these professional development hours, Respondent may submit documentation satisfactory to the Board for professional development hours earned on or after July 1, 2014. Completion of any courses or activities for the professional development hours earned on or after July 1, 2014 that are being submitted for the purpose of fulfilling the twenty four (24) professional development hours required by this Stipulation and Order shall not count toward any continuing education requirements in the 2016-2018 renewal period or beyond.

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- (2) Respondent shall pay to the Board a civil penalty of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00). Respondent shall submit a civil penalty of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) by cashier's check or money order to the Board within sixty (60) days of the Board's approval of this Stipulation and Order.
- c. If and when the Board determines that Respondent has complied with the conditions listed in parts 4.b. 1) and 4.b 2) above, the Board will issue an order vacating the suspension of Respondent's Architect license and Certified Interior Design certificate and restore his license and certificate to an unconditional status, provided that Respondent has met all other requirements for "current" license status as set forth in Minnesota Statutes sections 326.02 to 326.15 (2014) and has paid all applicable fees.
- d. <u>Prohibitions.</u> During the period of suspension of Respondent's Architect license and Certified Interior Design certificate, Respondent shall not:
- (i) Perform, or offer to perform, any services in the State of Minnesota required by law to be performed by an Architect or by a Certified Interior Designer as set forth in Minnesota Statutes sections 326.02 326.15 (2014) and Minnesota Rules Chapter 1800; nor
- (ii) Use the title "Architect" or "Certified Interior Designer" in connection with his name, or solicit or contract to furnish services required by law to be performed by an Architect or a Certified Interior Designer as set forth in Minnesota Statutes sections 326.02 326.15 (2014) and Minnesota Rules Chapter 1800, nor shall Respondent hold himself out as an architect or a certified interior designer in any manner in the State of Minnesota.
- 4. On February 29, 2016, Respondent paid the civil penalty of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to the Board. Additionally, Respondent submitted documentation of having completed twenty-three and one fourth professional development hours (23.25 PDH).
- 5. On March 24, 2016, Respondent submitted documentation of having completed one (1) additional professional development hour (1 PDH).
- 6. The Board has determined that the above-referenced documentation of professional development hours submitted by Respondent is satisfactory.
- 7. Board records indicate that Respondent has met all other requirements for "current" license status as set forth in Minnesota Statutes sections 326.02 to 326.15 (2014) and has paid all applicable fees.
- 8. Based on Respondent's payment of the \$1,000 civil penalty and submission of satisfactory documentation of completion of a minimum of twenty-four (24) professional development hours to the Board, and Respondent's meeting all the other requirements for

"current" license status, Respondent has complied with the conditions listed in parts 4.b.1 and 4.b.2 of the Stipulation and Order.

**ORDER** Upon consideration of the foregoing and the Stipulation and Order, and based upon all the files, records and proceedings herein, NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to part 4.c. of the Stipulation and Order and Minnesota Statutes section 326.111 (2014), as follows:

A. The suspension of Respondent's Architect License Number 24982 and Certified Interior Designer Certificate Number C01149 is vacated; and

B. Respondent's Minnesota Architect License Number 24982 and Minnesota Certified Interior Designer Certificate Number C01149 are restored to an unconditional status and are now "current," effective as of April 1, 2016.

Dated: 4/1/2016

STATE OF MINNESOTA BOARD OF ARCHITECTURE, ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, GEOSCIENCE AND INTERIOR DESIGN

Mary Deeg, CII

**Board Chair** 

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| STATE OF MINNESOTA ) ) ss. COUNTY OF RAMSEY )   |   |
| Ly  | ynette DuFresne, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:  |
| That at the City of St. Paul, County of Ramsey and State of Minnesota, on this the 5th day of 496, 2016, she served the attached <b>Order Vacating</b> Suspension of License and Certificate, by depositing in the United States mail at said city and state, a true and correct copy thereof, properly enveloped, with first class mail, and addressed to: |   |
| Ar<br>50<br>82  | s. Christina E. VonderHaar<br>rthur Chapman Kettering Smetak & Pikala, P.A.<br>00 Young Quinlan Building<br>2 South 9 <sup>th</sup> Street<br>inneapolis, Minnesota 55402 |
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| this the _  | ed and sworn to before me on  5 day of Accil, 2016.  HOLLY ANN SALMELA NOTARY PUBLIC MINNESOTA My Commission Expires Jan. 31, 2020  |